

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
EASTERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA**

AARON DOHERTY,)	
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Petitioner,)	
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v.)	Case No. CIV 12-171-RAW-KEW
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JASON BRYANT, Warden,)	
)	
Respondent.)	

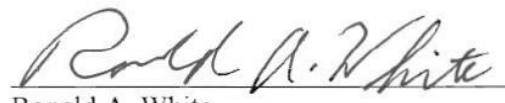
OPINION AND ORDER
DENYING CERTIFICATE OF APPEALABILITY

On September 23, 2015, the court affirmed and adopted the Magistrate Judge’s Report and Recommendation and dismissed petitioner’s petition for a writ of habeas corpus. After a careful review of the record, the court concludes petitioner has failed to make a “substantial showing of the denial of a constitutional right,” as required by 28 U.S.C. § 2253(c)(2). The court further finds petitioner has not shown “at least, that jurists of reason would find it debatable whether the petition states a valid claim of the denial of a constitutional right and that jurists of reason would find it debatable whether [this] court was correct in its procedural ruling.” *Slack v. McDaniel*, 529 U.S. 473, 484 (2000).

ACCORDINGLY, petitioner is denied a certificate of appealability. *See* Rule 11(a) of the Rules Governing Section 2254 Cases.

IT IS SO ORDERED this 7th day of October 2015.

Dated this 7th day of October, 2015.


Ronald A. White
United States District Judge
Eastern District of Oklahoma